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Wylie City Council Adopts Watering Ordinance

Wylie, TX, June 11, 2014 – Members of Wylie City Council adopted an ordinance June 10 that restricts landscape watering to every other week, consistent with the direction of the North Texas Municipal Water District. It also clarifies and defines specific enforcement measures that can be taken for those in violation.

Due to extended drought conditions, NTMWD has extended every-other-week landscape watering through October. Residents may water on their trash pickup day; a schedule is posted at www.wylietexas.gov. The newly adopted ordinance enables the city to issue fines for violators. The first violation will garner a written warning, with citations issued thereafter. If a person has three or more violations, a flow restrictor may be installed to limit the amount of water to the property, and, if convicted of four or more, water service may be discontinued with a \$500 reconnection charge.

Download the GORequest Android or Apple app to report violations or call 972-442-7588.

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About Wylie -- Incorporated in 1887, the City of Wylie is located just 24 miles from downtown Dallas in Collin, Dallas and Rockwall counties. Possessing an outstanding school district, a low crime rate, an ISO #1 rating and an expanding business climate, Wylie (population 44,158) is one of the fastest-growing communities in the State of Texas with a 192% increase since 2000.